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Crl.O.P.(MD)No.9346 of 2023

BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED: **08.06.2023**

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE **G.ILANGO VAN**

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1. Valarmathi

2. Ranjitha

3. Baskaran

4. Manikandan

... Petitioners / Accused Nos.1 to 4

Vs.

1. The Inspector of Police,  
Kattanoor Police Station,  
Viruthunagar District.  
(Crime No.6/2023).

... 1<sup>st</sup> Respondent/Complainant

2. Vairathal

... 2<sup>nd</sup> Respondent/Defacto Complainant

**PRAYER:** Criminal Original Petition is filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C, to call for the records pertaining to the First Information Report in Crime No.6 of 2023 dated 03.04.2023 on the file of first respondent police and quash the same as illegal.

For Petitioners : Mr. Boominathan R

For R1 : Mr.S.Manikandan  
Government Advocate (Crl.Side)

For R2 : Mr.R.Venkatesan



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**ORDER**

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This petition has been filed seeking to quash the impugned FIR in Crime No.06 of 2023 on the file of the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent police.

2.The contention of the petitioners is that based on the complaint lodged by the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent, the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent registered the First Information Report in Crime No.06 of 2023 for the offences punishable under Sections 294(b), 323, 506(i) of IPC and 4 of Prohibition of Harassment of Women Act, 2002 against the petitioners.

3.The further contention of the petitioners is that they compromised the issue with the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent amicably. A joint memo of compromise was filed, which has been duly signed by the petitioners and the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent and also by their respective counsels.

4.The petitioners and the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent appeared before this Court along with their counsels and also produced their Aadhar cards. They were also identified by the learned Additional Public Prosecutor and the Investigation Officer. Both the parties were enquired by me and they accepted the terms of compromise. Hence, the Compromise Memo is recorded.



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5.Considering the totality of the circumstances, the nature of the allegations levelled against the petitioners and also in view of the joint compromise memo, dated 18.05.2023, this Court is of the opinion that no useful purpose will be served by keeping the matter pending. Hence, all further proceedings in Crime No.06 of 2023 pending on the file of the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent police is quashed and the compromise memo is recorded.

6.In the result, the Criminal Original Petition stands allowed and the entire proceedings in Crime No.06 of 2023, pending on the file of the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent police is hereby quashed in respect of the petitioners and the terms of joint compromise memo shall form part of this order.

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to

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- 2.The Additional Public Prosecutor,  
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court,  
Madurai.



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**G.ILANGOVAN. J.**

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